

# Benefit Dinner Puts Rose Float Fund Over Top

## Capacity Crowd Attends

Today found the Palm Springs Float Association jubilant over raising the money to pay for the float that will represent the Village in the Rose Tournament Parade in Pasadena Jan. 1 and Russell Wade the happy owner of a new 1959 Thunderbird, following last night's benefit dinner that filled the Ranch Club from door to door.

The fifty-dollar-a-plate dinner drew a capacity crowd that paid warm tribute to Theresa Press, head of the Float Association, who has pushed the project to a successful conclusion.

THE TWO TICKETS for an expense-free vacation at the Stardust Hotel in Las Vegas went to Gordon P. Felts, and the pair of Rose Bowl tickets on the 50 yard line, to the Palm Springs Realty Board. The latter tickets are being sold and the money will help pay expenses.

A medley of songs and music by the Hal White trio and Clessa Williams, Francoise and Vin Riley, and Duke Mitchell was highlighted by an unexpected performance, when Lillian Roth was persuaded to sing. Recently returned from Chicago where she starred in a revival of "Come Back, Little Sheba," Miss Roth dedicated "Ain't She Sweet" to Mrs. Press and then sang her own exciting version of "Sing You Sinners." Maitre d' Paul was also coaxed up to the microphone to sing "Up A Lazy River."

MAYOR FRANK Bogert acted as emcee and Lew Levy lent his talents to selling the last of the tickets. In tribute to Mrs. Press' efforts in making it possible for Palm Springs to put its first float in the Rose Parade, fellow realtor Peter B. Sheptenko presented her with an armful of red roses.

Others who have devoted much time and effort to the fund raising included Jim Cavett, Jim Schlect, Bill Malhot, Mac McDonald, Ernie Dunlevie, Muriel Fulton, Hildy Crawford, Peggy Dexter, who staged the "All Nations Under the Sun" Ball at El Mirador last February, Anita Haskell Jones, who headed the successful Hat Parade Luncheon, Barbara Foster, who presented a fashion show luncheon at Chi Chi, Isabelle and Don Cameron who were in charge of the benefit dinner at Western Hills.

ALSO JIMMY COOPER and Cliff Brown of Chamber of Commerce, and the Palm Springs Realty Board members whose collective efforts raised around \$3,500 of the \$12,500 needed for the float.

In expressing her happiness at the dinner, Mrs. Press particularly thanked the Desert Sun for its all out efforts in behalf of the float, and thanked everyone who has helped in the fund raising efforts that have been going on for over a year.

## 'Copters Rescue 35 From Tanker

OCEAN CITY, Md. (UPI) — Helicopters and surface craft joined in the rescue today of 35 of the 37 men aboard the Liberian flag tanker African Queen which went aground and broke in two on a sandbar near the Isle of Wight, 12 miles offshore.

## Rebels Claim New Successes

HAVANA (UPI) — Cuban rebels struck into the heart of Havana Province today with a daring raid on an explosives depot in which they dynamited the huge stores of ammunition they could not carry away.

## At Bank of America

## 1959 Auto Tabs Ready on Jan. 2

More than 7,000 Palm Springs area motorists will be able to secure their 1959 auto registration renewals at the Bank of America here starting Friday, Jan. 2.

A temporary registration window will be open at the bank from Jan. 2 through Feb. 4, according to Fred Ingram, bank vice president and manager of the local branch.

THE REGISTRATION renewal service has been available at the Bank of America here for several years and last year served at least 7,000 motorists, Ingram said. However, the bank's registration service window is only authorized to accept the punched statement cards mailed to auto owners by the state.

Silver-white renewal stickers, which are attached to the rear license plate, will be issued on receipt of fees noted on the registration cards.

ANY TRANSFER, change in type of vehicle registration or any statement issued on a card with a red stripe must be taken to a regular Department of Motor Vehicles field office.

Bank stations are not equipped to handle any transactions other than straight renewals, it was pointed out.

Motorcycle owners must also go to the regular DMV office. Station wagon renewals can be handled at the bank provided the owner does not wish to change the class of its registration.

### Weather

Desert area forecast: Some high cloudiness but mostly sunny today and Wednesday. Northerly winds 15-25 miles an hour at times today and tonight, diminishing Wednesday. Slightly warmer Wednesday. Highs today 55-65 upper valleys, 65-75 lower valleys.

Yesterday's temperature registered a 68 high, 41 low.

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# BODY IDENTIFIED AS TAYLOR'S



IDENTITY OF A BODY found in Tahquitz Canyon was established today when Police Capt. Orest Johnson and Deputy Coroner Joe Cole fitted keys taken from the corpse into a door lock at Al Taylor's Palm Springs camera shop (left photo). Johnson said there was "little doubt" that the body was that of the missing camera shop owner. As Johnson and Cole sought to establish identity of the body,



Marine helicopters warmed up at Palm Springs Airport before flying into the canyon (right photo). One of the copters dropped Mounted Policeman Nick Carosell at the body site. Both whirlybirds were scheduled to return later with special equipment to retrieve the body late this morning. Discussing plans to recover the

body in a briefing session at the airport are, left to right, Jim Hardwick, airport lineman; Marine Maj. O. W. Curtis, Lt. J. A. Wilson, an unidentified bystander, Sheriff's Sgt. Von Hoffman, head of the search team; Col. John F. Bobbin, District Attorney's Investigator Paul Lewis, and, back to camera, Joe Cole. (Desert Sun Photos)

## Keys Found Fit Camera Shop Doors

Two Helicopters Continue Efforts To Return Body

Palm Springs Police today said they are "almost certain" that the body of a man found in Tahquitz Canyon is that of missing Village camera shop proprietor Al Taylor.

Capt. Orest Johnson said that a ring of keys found on the corpse established the identity of the body discovered by hikers Saturday.

HOWEVER, JOHNSON said, positive identification will not be possible until the corpse is returned here via helicopter today.

Two Marine Corps helicopters dispatched from Santa Ana were unable to make physical contact with a ground search team yesterday but the whirlybirds returned to the scene this morning.

Johnson said the body, clad in yellow shorts and low shoes instead of hiking boots as was originally reported, yielded a ring of keys.

JOHNSON AND Deputy Coroner Joe Cole said one of the keys was a perfect fit for the back door of the shop. Store manager Sylvia Percival said another key belonged to the lock on Taylor's bicycle.

Original theories that the body was Taylor's were discounted Sunday because of a discrepancy in clothing. Close friends said the 33-year-old camera shop owner "never owned a pair of hiking boots."

Taylor was clad in shorts when he walked away from his Village home on the morning of Sept. 2.

LAST REPORTS this morning said another attempted helicopter landing failed. But Palm Springs Mounted Policeman Nick Carosell was dropped to the body site.

Both copters were scheduled to return to the scene with special equipment to haul the body from its resting place — a small pool located far above the second Tahquitz waterfall.

Sheriff's deputies in charge of the search teams expected to retrieve the corpse, which is now wrapped in blankets and ready to be lifted from the canyon, shortly after noon.

THE BODY WAS found Saturday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Donald Liska, of Culver City, who were hiking down through the canyon after week-ending at Idyllwild.

Liska said he found the partially decomposed body lying face down in a shallow pool. He thought it was wearing hiking boots.

A team of sheriff's deputies and mounted police hiked into the canyon yesterday but were unable to carry the body out because of the rugged terrain.

THE TREE-STUDDED boulder-strewn mountain area likewise defeated landing attempts of the helicopters, flown here under the command of Col. John F. Bobbin.

## Ike to Deliver His State Of Union Message in Person

GETTYSBURG, Pa. — (UPI) — The White House announced today that President Eisenhower will deliver his State of the Union Message in person to a joint session of Congress Jan. 9.

The document will be a broadly based review of world and national affairs and will be followed later by special messages on specific domestic problems.

THE PRESIDENT is devoting much of his New Year's holiday on his farm to work on the state of the union and the message to Congress later next month which will accompany his 77 billion dollar budget.

A preliminary draft of the State of the Union message was under study in Washington at the White House today. The President summoned his chief assistant, Maj. Gen. Wilton B. Parsons, and Dr. Malcolm Moos, the top White House speech writer, to Gettysburg Wednesday for a conference on the highly important message. The new Congress opens Jan. 7.

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE will give a general preview of his State of the Union message to congressional leaders of both parties at a White House conference next Monday morning.

Press Secretary James C. Hagerty confirmed reports that the White House was studying a proposed reorganization and consolidation of the management activities of the executive offices of the President.

EISENHOWER WAS at work on the farm early today with Hagerty and his private secretary, Mrs. Ann Whitman, on a large stack of mail that arrived from Washington Monday night by courier. The weather was bright, sunny and near 50 degrees at midday, and the chief executive was expected to get out of doors during the afternoon with his grandson, David.

Hagerty hoped before the day was over to announce the detailed plans for Eisenhower's ceremonial signing late this week of the proclamation formally admitting Alaska to the union as the 49th state.

## GARBAGE DISPOSAL THIEF MUST HAVE NINE KITCHEN SINKS

Palm Springs police are today hunting for a thief with a yen for garbage disposal units.

Theft of nine of the kitchen sink-type units from a construction site at 300 Chino Canyon Road was reported by Dick Goerlitz, of the Meyer Construction Co., police said.

## Airliner Sinks In Rio Bay; 35 Aboard Rescued

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil (UPI) — A twin-engine Swedish-built Scania plane of the Brazilian domestic airline Vasp plunged into Guarabara Bay before hundreds of beachfront onlookers today and sank within three minutes.

Observers at the scene said no one was killed, and only a few persons aboard were injured.

The plane took off for Sao Paulo from Santos Dumont Field with 31 passengers and four crewmen aboard. One engine caught fire and the pilot attempted to circle back to the airport for an emergency landing.

But he did not have enough altitude and the plane hit the water about 200 yards short of the runway and 250 yards from the fashionable Hotel Gloria.

Passengers scrambled out of the wreckage before the aircraft sank. Small boats immediately began picking them up and carried them ashore.

## Two American Tourists Arrested by Cuban Police

HAVANA — (UPI) — Cuban police disclosed today they were holding two American tourists on charges of "committing a public disturbance."

The men, identified as James W. Reid and Louis F. Brantley, were arrested last Monday at Havana's International Airport while en route to New Orleans from Montego Bay, Jamaica, British West Indies.

A DISPATCH FROM New Orleans said the men were James Reid, 38, and Larry F. Brantley, 22, both faculty members of Wagner High School, Louisville, Ky. Brantley's father said his son and Reid had been in Jamaica on a holiday trip.

The Americans were forcibly taken off a passenger plane after they had discussed Cuban political problems while waiting at the airport to board their plane.

AIRPORT SOURCES said the men engaged in "unseemly conduct," shouting loud "Viva Castros" and otherwise creating disorder. The sources said the men were taken off the airliner by airport police and turned over to military intelligence authorities for interrogation.

The U.S. Embassy said it was attempting to obtain the men's release.

At New Orleans, fellow passengers said the two seized men had been discussing the Cuban revolution led by Fidel Castro. Brantley's father said, however, that his son had no special interest in the revolution.

## Cooper Selected For Floor Leader Post by Liberals

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Liberal Senate Republicans today picked Sen. John S. Cooper (Ky.) as their candidate for GOP floor leader in their uphill battle to prevent Sen. Everett M. Dirksen (Ill.) from winning the post.

The liberals also nominated Sen. Thomas H. Kuchel (Calif.) as their candidate for party whip.

Sen. George Aiken (Vt.) told newsmen the liberal Republicans believe both candidates "have an excellent chance to win."

## Rotary to Hear Of United Fund

Keith Herbert, president of the Palm Springs United Fund, will speak at the regular Wednesday luncheon meeting of the Village Rotary Club at 12:10 p.m., tomorrow, in the Chi Chi.

Brad Davis of the Toastmasters Club will emcee the program which was arranged by Jerry Bunker.

## DEADLINE SET FOR OBTAINING TABLEWARE SET

Still saving your Desert Sun tableware coupons?

Then bring them down to The Desert Sun Circulation Department before Jan. 10 if you want to be one of the many proud owners of these handsome, stainless-steel place settings.

Because of the heavy demand for the Desert Moderne tableware offered through the pages of The Desert Sun—via coupons published daily for the past 12 weeks—the supply has become very limited.

The last coupon was published Dec. 29 and delivery of the tableware cannot be guaranteed after Jan. 10.

So gather up your coupons and redeem them now for your tableware selection before the supply is gone.

## Record Storm Hits New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma

United Press International A record southwestern snowstorm raged through the night, crippling traffic and stranding motorists in parts of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

A record 14 inches of snow stalled traffic in Albuquerque, N.M., Monday, snapping utility lines and knocking out electricity to at least 50,000 persons.

UP TO 15 INCHES of snow hit other sections of the southern plains of New Mexico and drifting snow of six to seven inches deep swept the Oklahoma and Texas Panhandles.

Drifts of nearly eight feet closed all roads in the Oklahoma Panhandle during the night, and other roads in central and northwestern Oklahoma were reported as hazardous with packed snow and freezing rain.

IN TEXAS, SCORES of persons were stranded by the heavy snow along U. S. 287 from Amarillo to Dumas Monday before highway crews opened the highway Monday night.

The Texas Highway Patrol said roads into New Mexico north of Amarillo were blocked by snow, and plows worked through the night to restore traffic.

An 18-inch snowfall buried Fraser, Colo., Trinidad, Colo., reported five inches and Denver had one inch.

## \$5,000 Damage

## Three Youths Go On Rampage

LA PUENTE — (UPI) — Three teen-age boys on a beer-drinking rampage broke into a food market early today, tipped over stacks of merchandise, then rode through town breaking 14 plate glass windows and damaging a school and a library, sheriff's deputies reported.

Total damage was estimated at \$5,000 by deputies who took the trio into custody when the youths returned for another "crack" at the school.

"WE WERE JUST out to get some beer," deputies quoted one of the boys as saying.

Booked on suspicion of burglary were Theodore Encinas, 19, La Puente, and his two 17-year-old companions.

Mrs. Dorothy Turner, owner of the market on Valley Boulevard, said about a third of the merchandise in the store was strewn about.

MEAT WAS PULLED from refrigerators, stacks of egg crates were overturned, and canned goods dumped over, she said.

Windows were smashed at the county library and the Bassdale School. Show windows in numerous business places were smashed, deputies said, with thrown bottles and picture windows in two homes were broken.



THREE BABIES at Desert Hospital Christmas Day were visited by a special Santa Claus in the person of Margaret Hayes, RN, who is in charge of the obstetric ward at the hospital. Miss Hayes fashioned three Christmas suits for the new arrivals consisting of a kimono in Santa Claus red, bellied knit stocking caps in snow white and white knit booties to match. The yule youngsters, shown

above with nurse Linda Coleman, are a boy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Green of Twentynine Palms; a boy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Price of Palm Springs, and a girl, born to Mr. and Mrs. James Caulfield of Palm Springs. The Price youngster edged in on the deal. He was a Christmas Eve baby.

# Rancho Mirage

By JEAN PATANE

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Ely and children, Debbie and Mathew, arrived on Christmas Eve from their home in Santa Barbara to spend the holiday season at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nitchy and her sister, Sarah Ann.

Lewis Tanner, owner of Desert Trailer Village, joined Mrs. Tanner at the home of their newly married granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Blair, at Ventura Christmas Eve. Mrs. Tanner had gone up earlier in the week, and she will spend the New Year week at the home of their other granddaughter and her husband.

band, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rieker and their great-grandchildren, Dennis, Gary and Janice. Mr. Tanner returned to the desert Christmas night.

Casa Verde holiday weekend guests included Mr. and Mrs. Louis Thomas of Vista, Mary B. Zarkler and Mrs. Ralph Murray of Montebello, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Kniffa and daughters of North Hollywood. Among the other guests are Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Williamson and daughters, here from their home in Los Angeles for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. (Speck) Campbell left last Tuesday to spend Christmas and the holiday weekend with her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roger Beauregard and their son, Bill, and daughter, Margaret Ann, at their home in Sunland. On Christmas Eve they attended the traditional holiday supper party hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Dewey for their Sunland neighbors and friends.

Paul McQuown, who makes his home in Granada Hills, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McQuown.

Dr. and Mrs. George Gordon arrived last Wednesday from their home in Santa Monica to spend the holidays at their home on Magnesia Falls Drive. Their holiday weekend houseguests were Mr. and Mrs. S. Bearwitz of Westwood. Holiday guests of Dr. and Mrs. Gordon who were staying at Whispering Waters Hotel were Mr. and Mrs. M. Oaken of Westwood and Mr. and Mrs. H. Strassburg of Sunset Towers, Los Angeles.

Among the guests during Christmas week at El Rancho Hotel were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Sall of Lakewood, Mr. and Mrs. Max Marcus of Long Beach, Mr. and Mrs. John Solotich and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Solafich of Los Angeles (the latter is editor of the suburban section of the Los Angeles Examiner), Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Standard and Mr. and Mrs. S. Steinhart, also of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Zack McIntosh from Garden Grove, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Cunningham from Monterey Park, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Green-sides of North Hollywood, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Anderson of Ocean-side, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller of Sedalia, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. John Newlin from Portland, Ore.

Tradition prevailed when Mr. and Mrs. John Vale hosted their Dec. 23 Egg Nog Party at their home for their many desert friends and neighbors.

Enjoying the holidays at Nelson's Motel are Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Kirkey of Sacramento, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kruse of Boise, Idaho, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Frudel of South Gate, the Misses R. and L. McClean and Mrs. Ralph Baum-bruck from Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Bise of Glendale and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Green of Long Beach. Roy Mack of Bensenville, Ill., stopped for a few days enroute to Los Angeles on business, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Kiner of Ventura were at Nelson's Motel while spending the Christmas holidays with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph (Nancy) Kiner.

Here to spend Christmas with the Nelsons were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Delvan Shaw and children, Larry and Gayle, of San Clemente.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Caplow for Christmas and the holiday weekend were his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Caplow, (attorney for Rancho Mirage Properties), and Dr. and Mrs. Leon Belous of Beverly Hills, TV actress Phyllis Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Cahan. Joining the Caplows and their houseguests for Christmas Eve and to honor the first birthday of their young son, Bradley Richard, were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trimble, Vee and Jerry Nisley, Mr. and Mrs. John Fincher, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Forbes of Rancho Mirage, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hurley and Mr. and Mrs. Trenton Dunphy of Palm Desert, and Joan and Jerry Friedman of Palm Springs.



LOVELY POWERS MODEL Ruby Allen cools off at El Mirador Hotel's swimming pool while waiting for the magic hour Wednesday evening. The champagne bottle Ruby is holding will get plenty of action as the New Year is ushered in. (Gayle Studio Photo)

## Palm Desert

By GRETCHEN CHEESEMAM

Miss Margo Gerkey entertained a friend from Portland, Ore., Miss Carol Smith, for a few days last week.

Guests for the holiday season at Palm Desert Lodge include Mr. and Mrs. Angus Potter and children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, William Keate and family of Vancouver, B.C., Mr. and Mrs. Breiby of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. L. Deeter. Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hudson are celebrating the first anniversary of their ownership of the Palm Desert Lodge and have their usual big Santa Claus on the roof.

The Stewart Trumbles entertained Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes, Mary's parents, and her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Fergus Thomas at Christmas dinner in their home.

More than 100 members enjoyed the annual Christmas eve egg-nog at Shadow Mountain Club, with Christmas carols sung and the big yule log ablaze. Many stayed for dinner and then attended the midnight mass in the new Catholic church, and the 11 o'clock service in the Palm Desert Community Church.

The Johnsons and Eddie Ship-stads of "Ice Follies" fame have just departed from the ever popular Sun and Shadow, where they vacationed for two weeks.

Mrs. June Whitelaw of Hollywood is a house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gifford Salmon. The Salmons held their annual "open house" on Christmas day, which has been a tradition in the family for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Campbell of Mountain View, Calif., and Miss Dorothy Jeffers of Palo Alto were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Walter Williams, who winter here every year.

Mr. and Mrs. James Newton (Barbara Cavanagh) spent the weekend with Mrs. Newton's parents, the H. I. Cavanaghs.

Christmas dinner members and guests at Shadow Mountain Club included Edith Eddy Ward with a table for 13 (Edith's lucky number), the Arthur Coopers, Sam Arscott, Murray Graysons, Don Hunters, Herb Shaws, E. T. Voniers, L. G. Bairds, Albert Welle with guests, Claude Wood with five guests, John Vales, Fred Goodens, Duncan Crux and family, Andrew Sullivan, Ralph Tillmanns, J. A. Blake and guests, Mrs. James Arkell and guests, Walter Allens, John Morans, Jerry Malones, Mrs. Marguerite Cobun and guests, Vernon Browns, Earle Macartneys, Viola Darnall, Alfred Geldermans, Mrs. Ruth Passow and guests, Owen Hudsons, John Goossens, Ed Welcomes, and many more.

### Aliens Warned Must Register During January

Richard C. Hoy, district director of the Los Angeles District Immigration and Naturalization Service, today reminded aliens in the desert area to report their addresses during January.

Address report cards are available at all Post Offices and the office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service at 458 South Springs Street, Los Angeles. The reports must be submitted to one of those offices in person.

Parents or guardians must submit reports for alien children under 14 years of age.

## SMC Plans Gala New Year's Eve Celebration

PALM DESERT — Glistening pink Christmas trees and matching table linen will provide a festive holiday touch for guests and members of the Shadow Mountain Club to watch the old year out and the new one in.

A record crowd is expected to attend this annual event, according to Manager Ray H. Stager, and a special entertainment program is planned with dance music by Jack Kearns, songs by the well known Bill Lechner and original dances by the Swedish dance team of Chris and Sig Ersborn.

As the midnight hour approaches, the hands on a mammoth clock will tick off the minutes — to alert all guests to be ready with traditional noisemakers to greet the New Year.

Included among those who will host large parties at the club are Messrs. and Mrs. Leonard Price of Indian Wells, Charles Milliken of Los Angeles and Palm Desert, Ronald Button of Rancho Mirage, L. C. Lewis of Cathedral City, James Harstad of Palm Desert, Paul B. Barnes of Long Beach, Harold Davis of Palm Desert and Pasadena, B. K. Richardson of Inglewood and Palm Springs, and Hugh Cutting of Palm Springs.

### Seeger Selected To Take Army's During January

Rct. James K. Seeger has been selected for an intensive nine-month course of instruction in Russian at the US Army Language School in Monterey, under the Army's stepped-up program for overcoming a critical shortage of skilled linguists.

Seeger, the son of Mrs. Alice Seeger, 944 Mel Avenue, was graduated from Palm Springs High School in 1953, and from Stanford University in 1957.

Upon completing his present course of study, Seeger will be prepared to act as a translator or an interpreter, able to converse freely in Russian as well as to read and write the language.

**Ice Cream Course**  
UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.—(U)—The Pennsylvania State University is giving a four-day course for persons interested in the ice cream business.

Included is information on the composition and properties of frozen desserts, the ingredients used, the principles of refrigeration, flavoring and freezing soft and hard frozen desserts, cleaning and sterilizing equipment, sanitary regulations, and so on.



SMILING WITH ANTICIPATION of his special New Year's Eve show at the Chi Chi Starlite Room is Mr. Showmanship himself, known to his Village neighbors and fans as Liberace. A Palm Springs resident and long a favorite resort entertainer, Liberace is staging a one-night show at the Starlite Room to herald the New Year. Armed with lighted candelabra, his piano and his famous smile, the tuxedoed duke of the keyboard will headline a star-studded cast in his New Year's Eve appearance.



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## New Year's Eve Celebration Set at Firecliff

PALM DESERT — Plans are under way for a giant New Year's eve celebration at Firecliff Lodge, manager Chink Coleman announced today. A special package party has been arranged for guests, he added, and the agenda will include a full orchestra, special entertainment features, and an after midnight breakfast.

Christmas week at Firecliff has been a very festive one, according to Coleman, and included among the many guests now registered at the Lodge, are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gokey and family from Chicago, where Mr. Gokey is the well known toy manufacturer, and Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Spreckels from Ojai.



OASIS HOTEL EXECUTIVES enjoyed opening presents too. After the party given at the Oasis for employees, Roland Richter, resident manager, and Dewey W. Metzdorf, general manager and vice president of Western Hotels Inc., took time

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## Optimistic Himself

# Zanuck Criticizes Fellow Bigshots For Being Pessimistic on Future

By VERNON SCOTT  
UPI Hollywood Correspondent  
HOLLYWOOD UPI — Darryl F. Zanuck, back from two years of movie-making abroad, scolded his fellow bigshots today for being gloomy and pessimistic about producing pictures.

"The entire industry is pervaded by a feeling of gloom and uncertainty," he said. "I'm optimistic because business is sensational in Europe. In London and Paris even bad pictures

have long lines of customers waiting to get into theaters. It's a real upsurge.

"THERE IS NO gloom among industry people abroad — they're encouraged by those long waiting lines."

Zanuck himself is responsible to a degree for the cheerless attitude among movie folk who rely on pictures for a living. His last three films were shot away from Hollywood. Thus millions of dollars

were stuffed into foreign pockets. His explanation: "Those pictures couldn't be made anywhere else but on their particular locations."

THEN HE ADMITTED his optimistic point of view was somewhat slanted.

"Having not been in Hollywood I haven't been subjected to the box-office blows that some of the others have," he said. "That is my advantage. That is why I'm not gloomy."

It hasn't occurred to Zanuck that he and other producers are responsible for movietown's troubles. He blames TV, failure of movies to develop new talent, and exorbitant demands of stars. Zanuck said movie-goers will continue to go to theaters to see good films, but not too many of them are being made. Zanuck's faith in the future isn't just talk. He plans to film four pictures in the next 18 months — some here, some abroad.

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## NORTH PALM SPRINGS

By ORPHA GEIER

The Christmas party, sponsored by the North Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce in the Community Chapel was greatly enjoyed by an overflow crowd. The program by the children was excellent and much credit is due the program committee who worked so hard on rehearsals and costumes. Outstanding services were rendered by Zepha Holmes, pianist and committee members Judy Goforth, Ruby Gunn and Isabel Emerson. Santa Claus arrived on time with his pack full of goodies for all the children. After the program Amerette Anderson, chaperoned a hi fi party for all the young folks of the community.

Mrs. Bernice Futrell and Sandra left Friday night for Crosscut, Texas where they were called by the serious illness of Bernice's mother, Mrs. R. M. Proctor. They expect to return in a week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clement, of Roswell, N. M. arrived last week for a visit to the desert and are considering making their home here. They are guests of long time friends here, John and Lora Rose.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kersch on Dillon Road are Mayme Waldeck of Alhambra and her sister, Ida Marman of Cleveland, Ohio who recently completed 50 years with The Plain Dealer, newspaper of Cleveland. She will return to her paper after a vacation.

Fred Scates is back after spending a few months in Roswell, N. M., and is busy with construction work at Happy Valley.

Sid and Anns' was the scene of much merriment on Saturday night when a large crowd gathered for the Christmas party and to honor the birthdays of Robert Campbell, Phil Smith, Jack Boland and Dick Maher. Music for the affair was furnished by Dave Powell, Herb Owen, and Robert and Norene Campbell.

Art Simmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simmons and Miss Henrietta Yap, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Apyang Yap of Pauwela, Maui, Territory of Hawaii, were married Sunday, Dec. 21 in Tijuana, Mexico. Accompanying the young couple for the nuptials were Clifford McCance, Art's mother, Mary Simmons, his brother, Rick and James McCance. Art, who is on leave from the USS Navarro, reported back to duty on Dec. 28. The new Mrs. Simmons will remain here until the groom completes overseas duty in June.

James Rafferty, father of Tom Rafferty and Mary Rafferty, his aunt arrived Sunday night from Webster, Mass., to spend the next three weeks. They report difficulty and a delay due to the airline pilots strike. Mrs. James Rafferty has been here since August, and plans on returning with her husband in January.

Kirk Seeley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Seeley is home after completing six months of active duty with the National Guard. Kirk received a course of tank unit training at Knoxville, Ky.

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# California Legislators Remain at Odds on Water

(Editor's Note: Second of four dispatches on results of a United Press International - Poll - of members of the Legislature.)

By JAMES C. ANDERSON  
United Press International  
SACRAMENTO — UPI — California legislators still are at odds over settlement of state water issues.

A United Press International poll of the 120 members of the Assembly and Senate showed a sharp split on proposals for a constitutional amendment settling north-south water rights differences, on financing of the Feather River Project, and on a master plan to develop the state's un-

tapped water resources.

THOSE SAME issues have plagued the lawmaker for the past six years — and the UPI poll would indicate that the 1959 session beginning Jan. 5 at least will see the lawmakers start off in a deadlock.

Signs of the old north-south conflict between the metropolitan-dominated lower house and the rural-minded Senate were evident in the lawmakers' answer to water questions in the UPI poll.

The southern viewpoint was expressed by Assemblyman Vernon Kilpatrick (D-Los Angeles).

"UNLESS THE south consents

to an unholy compromise, the water problem cannot be settled short of reapportionment of the state Senate," he said.

The northern position was expressed by Assemblyman Thomas J. McBride (D-Sacramento).

"I don't think a constitutional amendment on water rights is necessary," he said, "but I feel we will have to adopt one for political purposes in order to get started on a water program."

SOUTHERNERS HAVE insisted for several sessions that they will not vote construction money for the FRP until the north agrees to a constitutional amendment guaranteeing the southern part of the state firm rights to water imported from the north.

Northerners have been reluctant to agree because they fear the south may get permanent rights to water which may be needed in the future for ultimate development of the north.

MORE THAN 70 legislators replied to the UPI questionnaire and by almost a 4-1 margin said they favored some sort of a constitutional amendment on water rights. But they could not agree on what it should contain and the main opposition came from senators—and it will take 27 out of 40 votes in the Senate to adopt any constitutional amendment.

Reflecting past deadlocks, most senators said they would vote for construction money for the FRP without a constitutional amendment but 35 legislators, mostly assemblymen, said they would not. There was greater agreement on the need for adoption of a master plan for water development, only five against, and a surprising unanimity of support for state-federal participation in the San Luis Project.

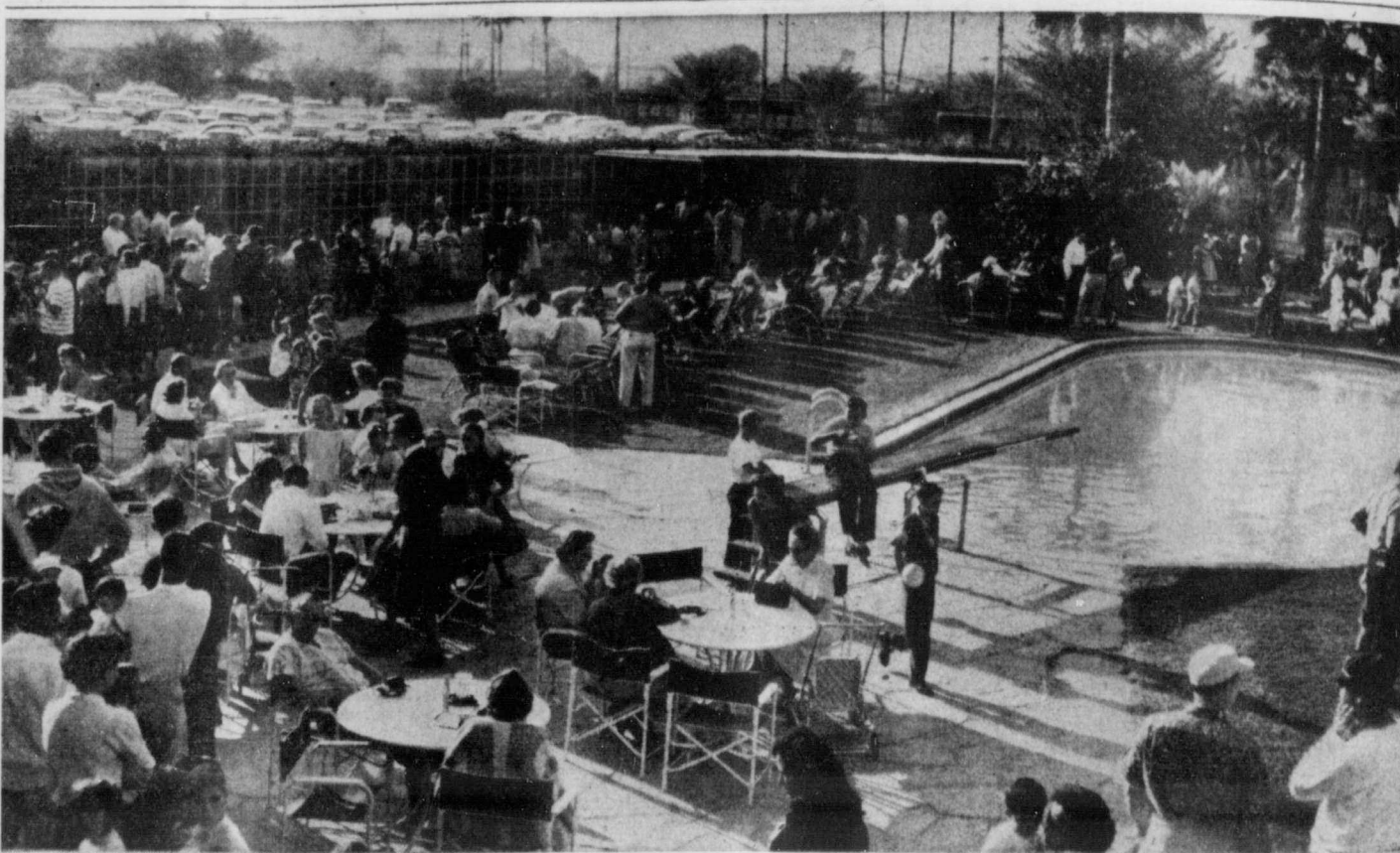
ONLY 10 LEGISLATORS said they oppose joint construction of San Luis with the federal government to pay construction costs and the state providing the site and operating the project with sample storage for federal use.

Still another point of view on the water issue, one which may become increasingly popular in 1959 in a legislative body dominated 73-46 by Democrats, was voiced by Assemblymen John A. O'Connell and Phillip Burton (D-San Francisco).

"I think the state should stay out of the water business, get federal developments of the FRP and let local areas finance their own needs," Burton said.

"I see no objection to California planning to meet its water needs," O'Connell said, "but I think the whole problem should be solved on the federal level with state participation."

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SANTA CAME TO TOWN at Desert Air Hotel last week as hundreds of youngsters and their parents stood by to greet the bearded gent on his once-a-year tour of the desert. Santa's visit at Desert Air's annual Christmas party started with a welcome from (top photo) Queen Pamela Wright, aged 3, of Cathedral City; King Billy Shelton, 8, of La Puente, and George Flynn, right of Palm Springs. After the royal greeting, Santa paused for a holiday chat with each of the 350 youngsters who brought their parents to the Desert Air grounds (bottom photo). Santa this year traded his sleigh for the roaring Twin-Beach airplane that brought him to the hotel airport. (W. Lee Wenzlick Photos)

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## THOUSAND PALMS

By IZETTA HUNT

Mr. and Mrs. William Henry of Date Garden Drive announce the birth of their sixth daughter Saturday, Dec. 20, at the Casita Hospital in Indio. This makes their eighth child.

Mrs. Don MacPherson and two children, Donnie and Lori, returned to their home in Palmdale after a month's visit with the grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lennie, and Mr. and Mrs. Don MacPherson, Sr., of Indio.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Odgers and daughter, Karne, were recent guests at the Henry Lennie residence on Arbol Real.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tyler of Santa Susanna, Calif., are spending a holiday with their friend, Mrs. Grace Hamaker, on Los Flores Way.

Pvt. Fred Bunker, stationed at Fort Ord, is here for the Christmas vacation, visiting at the James Ross home, and with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bunker of Rancho Mirage.

Mrs. Manuelita Montoya of Los Angeles, visited last week with her daughter and family, the John T. Lynn family.

## Incorporation Plans of DHS Are Continuing

DESERT HOT SPRINGS — Plans for incorporation of Desert Hot Springs proceeded today with the full support of the Chamber of Commerce.

Chamber directors last week voted unanimously in favor of incorporation of the community and appropriated \$500 to hire an attorney.

The attorney will be instructed to start incorporation proceedings according to Chamber President Rolf Skovholt.

Skovholt is now preparing a brochure stating anticipated tax figures, assessed evaluation and population of the area proposed for incorporation.

The pamphlets will be mailed to area residents in the near future, he said.

## Flying Fish

BATON ROUGE, La. — (UPI) — Louis Johnson says he was slowly paddling through a bayou looking for a quiet fishing spot when the water suddenly churned up and a green trout came flying through the air, landing in his boat.

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**TWO NEW PLEDGES** were honored by Zeta Kappa Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha at its meeting at the Ranch Club. The two—Leona Cascio and Joan Sale of Palm Springs, were feted during dinner at the

club. From left, front row, are Joyce Vince, Miss Cascio, Jessica Faught, Miss Sale, Dolores Cox, and, second row, Leona Preece, Jeannette Constantino, Gertrude Cable, Peggy Porter, Laura Sherrod, Mildred Wills and

LaVaun Belt. Miss Faught was a new affiliation in the local organization, having arrived recently from Oklahoma City. (Pospesil Photo)

## Marriage Solemnized Saturday

A debutante of 1954, Sally Ann Newland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Adams Newland of Thunderbird, became the bride of James Wallace Chestnut in a Saturday evening ceremony at Our Saviour's Church. They said their vows before Rev. Walter H. Reuning.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a wedding gown of champagne peau de sois and lace, a Cahill model in ballerina length. She carried a prayerbook with white and yellow orchids.

Her sister-in-law Mrs. Lawrence Alva Newland, wore contrasting green satin and carried a muff of yellow roses.

Carrying out the green and yellow theme, the church was decorated with Christmas trees, pale yellow roses and pale yellow gladioli.

R. M. Chestnut of Tulsa, Oklahoma, father of the groom, acted as best man for his son. Ushers were Jerry D. Chestnut, the groom's brother, and John Hines.

The bride attended Barstow School for Girls in Kansas City, Newport Union High School, and graduated from the University of Kansas. She made her debut at the annual Debutante Ball in Newport in 1954. The bridegroom is a graduate of University of Tulsa and Oklahoma State.

The Newland home on Country Club Drive was decorated in a Christmas theme for the reception which followed the wedding.

The two mothers helped receive, Mrs. Newland wearing pale green and champagne with green cymbeliums, and Mrs. R. M. Chestnut in pale blue with ivory cymbeliums.

Out-of-town guests included an aunt of the groom, Mrs. Helen Anderson of Long Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Chestnut of Tulsa, and Jerry D. Chestnut of Fort Worth.

Following a wedding trip to Italy, the young couple will be at home at Rancho Mirage.



MRS. JAMES WALLACE CHESTNUT is the former Sally Ann Newland whose marriage, which was solemnized Saturday at Our Saviour's Church, was followed by a reception at the Thunderbird home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Alva Adams Newland. (Curtis Studios Photo)

## Holiday Fashion Showing Poolside

Waltah Clarke has scheduled a poolside showing of Hawaiian holiday fashions tomorrow at 1 p.m. at Desert Air Hotel. The show will include gifts and holiday fashions from Clarke's Hawaiian shops and will feature lounging, sun and swim wear as well as desert resort styles. Among them will be fashions especially created for him for Palm Springs, Waikiki, Acapulco, Montego Bay and Tonga Tabu wear. Hand-printed cotton sun dresses, muiumuus, sarongs, swim wear will come straight out of a fabulous collection.



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## Doll Fashions get Dated Easily Following Fashion for Women

By GAY PAULEY  
UPI Women's Editor

NEW YORK (UPI)—Doll fashions, like people fashions, get dated easily.

Take the chemise. It had a quick popularity with us women and it lasted just about as long with the dolls, says Elise Nolte, a fashion designer for the Ideal Toy Corp.

Currently, she said, the well-dressed doll is wearing the empire silhouette with raised waistline but in "less radical" form than some of the empires of grown-up fashions. Miss Nolte expects it to last longer than the chemise.

"Fashions for dolls definitely follow fashions for women," she said. "I study Paris reports, read Women's Wear a trade daily for the garment industry, Harper's and Vogue just as carefully now as I did when I was designing for people. The minute I see a new style I think of how I can adapt it to dolls."

Miss Nolte and her associate,

Mrs. Eva Liebgold, are responsible for the wardrobes—dresses, coats, hats, and other accessories for four million dolls Ideal makes each year. The company's seamstresses produce 12 million dresses annually, ranging from a single dress per doll to wardrobes of 50 costumes for a specialty item like the Revlon miss, who comes with Marilyn Monroe curves. An outfit will cost from \$1.50 to \$2.50—this latter sum, the price of a doll mink coat. With doll thrown in, the cost is \$300.

"Hardest thing about designing for dolls is thinking in miniature," said the designer in an interview. "And a doll's proportions are different. Their heads are larger, so that there has to be a balance with some fullness to the eye. Bouffant skirts and petticoats are perennially good styles."

Miss Nolte, a woman in her late 40's, was born in Brooklyn and studied design at the Pratt Institute. She worked in dress-making departments for some of New York's fashionable shops, was with Simplicity Patterns for 10 years, and also taught pattern making.

## Post-Christmas Brunch Draws Record Crowd

The daddy of Palm Springs' Sunday Brunches, El Mirador Hotel's six-year-old weekly festival, is as popular as ever. More than 300 people turned out for the desert spa's first post-Christmas brunch.

Helen and James H. "Dutch" Kindelberger (he's chairman of the board of North American Aviation) hosted a party that included the Charles Gabriels, the William Grants, the Johnny Boyles, the Graham Dexters and Pamela D'Auvray. Elsinore Machris hosted another party that included Jean and Jerry Bernard, newlyweds from San Francisco, Mrs. Lloyd M. Frank, Bill Murphey, Mrs. Lucile Bobair and Mrs. Mary Grabiner. Helen and Kenneth Kirk were there with their daughters, Cynthia, 9, and Vicki, 8.

## Sweet Facts Of Cranberry

The long-popular cranberry-orange combination makes just as tasty a cake as it does a salad.

Sift together 2 cups all-purpose flour, 1/2 teaspoon each salt and baking soda, 1 1/2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder and 1 cup sugar. Add 1/2 cup shortening, 2 eggs and 1-3 cup milk. Stir to dampen ingredients, and beat 2 minutes by hand or with electric beater at medium speed.

Add 1/4 cup fresh orange juice, 1 cup coarsely ground raw cranberries and 1 tablespoon grated orange rind. Beat 2 minutes. Fold in 1 cup chopped nuts.

Turn into paper-lined greased loaf pan, 9 by 5 by 3-inches. Bake in preheated 350-degree oven 1 hour and 20 minutes.

## Prominent Local Clubwoman Collapses; Fails to Recover

PALM DESERT, Dec. 20 — Mrs. Upham Downdyke III was checking over her notes for a club address to be delivered Friday, when the chair she was sitting in collapsed. After much thought, Mrs. Downdyke decided not to recover since the chair would not fit into the new decorating scheme planned for her new home in ultra-fashionable El Dorado Palms Estates, bordering Indian Wells Golf Course. You needn't necessarily be a social butterfly to see beautiful El Dorado Palms Estates. Simply drive out today, or ask your realtor.

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## '13' Tradition Carried on at Christmas Time

Edith Eddy Ward and her mother, Mrs. Margaret (Bunny) Ward, hosted a family dinner for "13" at Palm Desert's Shadow Mountain Club on Christmas day. Seems Miss Ward just can't escape the numeral 13. She has exactly 13 letters in her name, is in her 13th year as a realtor in Palm Desert, which is 13 miles from Palm Springs.

Piece de resistance of the Wards' Christmas dinner was a 20 lb. turkey prepared by the club chef especially for the celebrating family. During the dinner, a tape recording of "I Found My Golden Valley," a song written by Lois Roy and dedicated to Miss Ward, was played for the celebrants.

Attending the dinner were the Owen Eddys and granddaughter Beth of Downey, Mrs. Helen Kesner and son Mike of Sutherland, Oregon, the Fred Goetjens of Tracy, the Donald Kibbes and sons Ronnie and Clifford of Montclair, California, and the hostesses.

## Here for Christmas

John M. Johnston Jr., a student at the University of Charlottesville, came to Palm Springs to spend the holidays with his father Dr. John M. Johnston, who has recently opened offices in Palm Springs.

## Daughter Born

On the day after Christmas, at 6:40 a.m., a seven pound, six ounce girl was born at the Desert Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wade of 971 San Lucas Road.

## At Disneyland

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cotner of Palm Desert were among those from the desert area attending the Shrine convention and staying at Disneyland Hotel.

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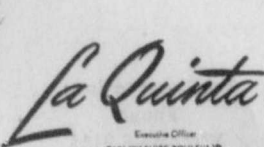
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The Chester Cohagan home at 429 Camino Sur was a hospitable spot Saturday night... as Chester and Dorothy (she was Dorothy Preble of the noted modelling school) held holiday open house... with many of Dorothy's out-of-town friends among the guests... The Cohagans just bought the house last spring and have remodelled it... The party honored her son and his wife the Robert C. Prebles Jr. of Chicago... Among the guests were the Homer B. Jamisons of Coachella, the Francis Pruitts, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Weber of Indio... Mrs. Paul William Lawrence of Palm Springs, Lido and Bel Air, Mrs. John Berner... Mrs. Kyle Scholl, the Percival Harts of Beverly Hills, Alexander Cramers of Tarzana... Also: the Stanley B. Hansens of Pacific Palisades, Zoe Campbell of Santa Monica, Herbert Washburns of Brentwood, Franklin Johnsons of Fontana, Douglas Mattosons of Playa del Rey... and many more... around 125 altogether...

There were parties all over the place out at Thunderbird that night... but we were headed for the Hale home... where Blanche and Joe were introducing their daughter and her husband the Bill Reynolds... who with their two children have been holiday guests in the Hale home... The Hales' Christmas tree this year was a handsome, bushy white tree... trimmed entirely in frosted pink balls tied on with pink ribbon bows... and it lent a holiday atmosphere to the gathering... Among their guests were... the George Dulany's (they left early as they were entertaining too that evening)... Peggy and Randy Christie and their houseguest Willie Mae Carson... the Joe Froggatts, Dolph Oberegels, George Wrights, Fred Klenes... Peggy Lester, Buddy and Jack Bligh, Peg and Norm Waters, Maynard Lasswell (they live across the street)... His wife was home ill... but their young daughter Stanis had joined the Reynolds (children)... the Beverly DeTarrs, S. P. Manasses, Edgar Schills, Norbert Chaplickis... Robert Morreys... and more...

Sunday evening found cars collecting around the El Alameda home of LeNeve and Ben Read who were hosting a "Please" party... with guests invited to come when they pleased, eat when they pleased and leave when they pleased... The hosts were serving a red wine punch from a huge silver bowl... that had been presented to Ben on the occasion of his 25th anniversary as legislative advocate for the Public Health League... A delightful buffet followed... Among their guests were Assemblyman Rex M. Cunningham of Ventura... and his wife and daughter... the Verne Bartons (he's manager of the Palm Springs Playhouse)... Mr. and Mrs. Con Maiffe (he's former NBC staff organist), Gayle and Herb Burns... the Irwin Wrights, Mary Young and daughter Mollie, Marjorie Pohl... and others... When Ben leaves for Sacramento right after New Years... LeNeve will go with him to stay until after Governor Brown's Inaugural Ball on January 6... The Reads have attended every one given for the past 25 years...

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## Nemeroffs Host 80 at Dinner

A tall pink tree, tiered like a cake and tied with ribbons and roses, stood by the entrance Sunday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. Victor Nemeroff entertained around eighty guests at cocktails at their Hermosa Place home, preceding dinner at the Racquet Club.

In contrast to the modernistic pink tree at the door, arriving guests looked on through the glass walls of the long livingroom to where a tall green tree, laden with old-fashioned ornaments, was floodlighted in the garden.

This fabulous house (it was the House of Tomorrow) is a striking scene filled with guests, and a buffet of hot and cold canapés was arranged in the diningroom. About 9:30 the party adjourned to the Racquet Room, where tables and a private bar were set up in the Mural Room.

A special roast beef dinner, concluding with flaming baked Alaska was served to the guests, who danced between courses to the music of Teddy Neill and his orchestra.

The Tom Davises were there with their houseguests Mr. and Mrs. Bruce, and Harry Karl was escorting Joan Cohn. Kirk Douglas was among the guests and others included the Eddie LeBarons, Frank Bogerts, Sydney Schiffs, Eddie Silvermans, Lester Seligs, Ed Rothbarts, W. B. Maloufs, Maurice Horners, Asher Levys, Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Strauss, George Barretts, Eddie Smalls, Harry Joe Borwns, Malcolm Clarkes, Morton Ulmans, David Brights, Maury Greenspoon, and many more.

## BIRTHS

Three girls have arrived at the Desert Hospital since Friday, December 26

On December 26 at 6:40 a.m. a seven pound, six ounce girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lucas of 971 San Lucas Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Stephenson of 3970 Calle Ricardo, are the parents of a six pound, twelve ounce girl, born December 26, at 11:33 p.m.

December 28 at 9 a.m., a seven pound, 13 ounce girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Warren McCalin of Palm Desert.

## Sons Gets Home For Christmas

Kenneth L. Brotts, son of the Kenneth O. Brotts of 32-329 Whisping Palm Trail, made it home for Christmas, driving across country from Oklahoma in 26 hours. He received his discharge from the United States Air Force at Ardmore Air Force Base in Oklahoma on December 24 and reached Palm Springs Christmas night at 10 o'clock. He had been on aircraft propeller repairman and served four years with the Air Force, statewide and overseas.

## Down From North On Holiday Visit

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomson of Lafayette arrived in Palm Springs December 26, accompanied by their son, Keith, a student at Cal-Tech, also Charles' brother and sister-in-law, the John R. Thomsons of Oakland. On their annual visit to the Village, they are staying at the Sun and Sand Apartments and will do some golfing while there.

The Thomsons are active members of the Orinda Country club and were among hosts at the club's gala Christmas party.



THE MURAL ROOM at the Racquet Club was the setting for the big holiday party given by Mr. and Mrs. Victor Nemeroff of Chicago and Palm Springs, on left. The dinner followed a cocktail party at their Hermosa Place home. Pictured with the hosts are two of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Davis. (Anderson Photo)



NEMEROFF PARTY guests included Kirk Douglas, standing, who is pictured with Joan Cohn and Harry Karl, during the pre-dinner cocktail hour. (Anderson Photo)

## Visits Grandparents

Visiting for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin B. Hansen at 37-625 Glen Avenue, Cathedral City, was their grandson Darrall McDaniels, who was en route to Arizona for business reasons.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berryman and daughter Vivian, of Vancouver, British Columbia, are spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Berryman, at the Monte Vista.



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With the Thurstons are their children, Susan and Sherry and twin boys Bobby and Billy. The younger members of the family will stay through the New Year and then must return to their various schools, while the senior Thurstons hope to spend a month here.

Others calling the Oasis home for the holidays are Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McDonnell of San Francisco, who are frequent guests there during the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Williams H. Apps drove all the way from British Columbia to give their five youngsters a taste of California's desert sunshine. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Coker and daughter, arrived from Omaha for a desert holiday.

Others returning to Oasis at this time are Mr. and Mrs. George Buckhout, Beverly Hills; Mr. and Mrs. Neil McCarroll, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. MacGaregill, Anaheim; Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Townner and daughter, Leslie, of Santa Ana.

## Social and Club CALENDAR

(Clubs and organizations are invited to call in calendar dates to FA 5-5005.)

December 31  
Rotary, Chl, Chl, Noon.  
P. S. Optimists, Howard Manor, noon.  
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Ann Clark, club social director, hands the first slice of the cake to Club President Ted Smith. Other directors looking on are, left to right, George Douglas Jones, L.

C. Lewis, Cliff Henderson, A. C. Horner and Paul Goodwin Jenkins.

## Dear Abby...

... by Abigail VanBuren

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I were divorced two years ago but we still have a lot in common. We have started to see each other again and what's bothering me is that all the mouths in the neighborhood are working overtime. He comes to see me and stays the night sometimes. We are both 40 and think that this is nobody's business but our own. Are we right or not?

DEAR ABBY: I could kick myself for letting this go on for 30 years but I kept thinking things would change. Have you any idea how humiliating it is for a wife to BEG her husband for every dime he gives her? I never knew what it was to have an extra penny in my purse. It is a war to get a little money for the collection plate. I make all my own clothes (but I can't make my shoes) do all my own work and when a gift is due I can knit, crochet or sew it. Please answer this in the paper and give my husband the works. He deserves it.

DEAR ABBY: For "Animal Lover" who wrote: "People can ask for food when they're hungry and tell you where it hurts when they're sick, but dogs and cats have to depend on humans." God wasn't as generous with some children as He was with animals. If "Animal Lover" was with me just one of the many nights I prayed my little girl could tell me where it was hurting her. I think she'd change her mind. My child is over 5 years old but she doesn't know me from Adam. If people

have money and don't know what to do with it, there are an awful lot of retarded children who couldn't find a glass of milk if it was two feet away from them. I'll bet a cat could.

CHILD LOVER

DEAR ABBY: How can a 13-year-old girl tell her own mother to please wash the dishes with soap? My mother just rinses them under the hot water and says, "That's good enough." My father also never washes the ring out of the bathtub after himself. Once I counted six rings. I've tried everything but it doesn't do any good. All I get is ridicule when I tell them to use soap. They call me "PRINCESS GRACE." What can I do, Abby?

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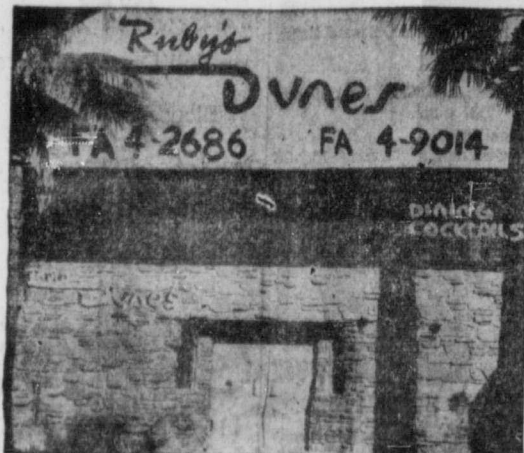


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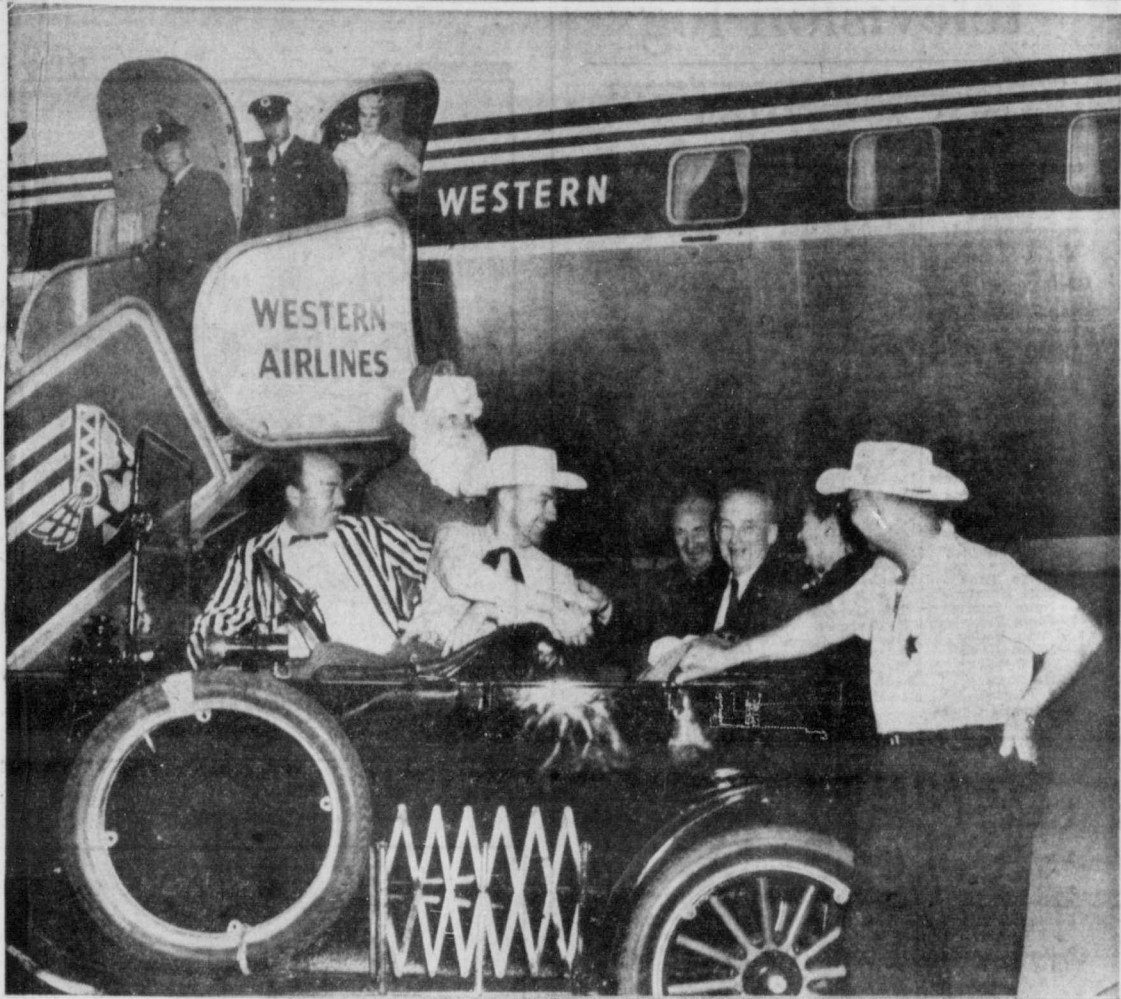
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who brought the old car to the airport; Don Goundry, president of Kiwanis; Santa Claus, who was brought here to meet the Kiwanis dignitary through arrangements made by Dr. George Milkie; Red Kenyon, past president of local Kiwanis Club; Parish and his wife, Anna, and president-elect Jim Perini. (Desert Sun Photo)

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## Chaplin Squares Account With Uncle Sam on Taxes

WASHINGTON — (UPI) — Movie star Charles Chaplin was square with Uncle Sam today after five years of legal wrangling over income taxes with the Internal Revenue Service.

Chaplin paid \$425,000 in settlement of government claims adding up to about \$700,000, including back interest. The payment was delivered to the Los Angeles IRS office Monday by Chaplin's attorney.

REVENUE SERVICE officials admitted they were puzzled over Chaplin's compromise of the celebrated tax case. They said the former baggy-pants comedian had taken all his assets out of the country after moving to Europe in late 1952.

The government claimed Chaplin owed \$486,950 in personal income taxes for 1953. The Celebrated Films Corporation, which he owned, also was in debt to the tax collector for \$55,678 over a

three-year period. Interest at 6 per cent brought the U.S. claim to about \$700,000.

THE TAX CASE against the 69-year-old actor had been slated for a hearing in federal court in Los Angeles next week.

Chaplin, who now lives in Switzerland, refused to pay the amounts sought by the government. He contended that he was no longer subject to American taxes after he left the United States.

"Uncle Sam feels pretty good about the settlement," one government source said. Court costs involved in a legal fight would have pushed up the bill for collecting the full amount, the source pointed out.

THE TAX SETTLEMENT had no bearing on the immigration status of Chaplin, a British subject who never sought U.S. citizenship during his 42-year Hollywood career.

The comedian had a re-entry permit when he sailed for Europe in 1952 with his wife and children. But shortly after his departure, the attorney general's office announced Chaplin would not be permitted to re-enter until he proved at a hearing he was admissible under U.S. immigration laws.

Justice Department officials explained that Chaplin would have to answer charges of Communist associations and moral turpitude.

Chaplin subsequently surrendered his re-entry permit to the U.S. consul in Geneva and his wife, Oona, daughter of the late playwright Eugene O'Neill, later renounced her U.S. citizenship.

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## Progress Made In Anti-Trust Suit Charges

SAN DIEGO — (UPI) — Lawyers for the government and seven major oil companies have reported some progress in "whittling down" charges in an eight-year anti-trust action.

Both sides Monday made the progress report to Judge James C. Carter. At a pre-trial hearing last Oct. 31, Carter ordered them to try to "whittle down" the case before it goes to trial Feb. 3.

TRIAL DATE originally was set for Nov. 12, but had to be moved up to February because another case was on the docket for the November date. At that time Carter also ruled in favor of the seven oil companies, turning down a government request to force them to give up their service stations.

In his decision, handed down after a week of pre-trial hearings, Carter ruled the companies need not divest themselves of ownership of West Coast service stations or divorce themselves from control over those dealerships.

HE ALSO NOTED that since filing of the original suit in 1950 the companies had changed their policies and procedures. Government attorneys admitted during the hearings that the suit might not have been brought had it been raised on the defendants' actions after 1950.

The government charged the defendants had violated anti-trust laws by conspiring to monopolize the market and to fix retail prices. The oil companies repeatedly denied the charge.

## Man Struck By Plummeting Body, Succumbs

LOS ANGELES — (UPI) — Victor Angel, 44, a deaf mute, was walking along a downtown street Monday when death struck in the form of a plummeting body.

Angel, a flower seller, was fatally injured when a despondent woman jumped to her death from the seventh floor of a department store and her body landed on top of him.

Two mothers and their children narrowly missed being struck as the woman's body fell to the crowded street.

Mrs. Louise Albina Stark, 41, despondent over the jailing of her husband, was the suicide victim, police said. Angel died of internal injuries a short time later at Central Receiving Hospital.

Police said Mrs. Stark and her husband, John, 45, were convicted and sentenced last Dec. 16 on a charge of taking \$816 rental money from a Hollywood apartment house they managed.

Mrs. Stark was placed on five years probation but her husband was sentenced to one year in jail.

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## 12-Ounce Girl Has Fighting Chance for Survival



## Food Is Big Item For Baby

CHICAGO (UPI) — Doctors said today 12-ounce Gloria Hansen has a fighting chance for survival if they can get some food in her.

If the child, born Sunday, lives, she will tie the world's record for the smallest baby in history to survive.

The infant is only 10 1/4 inches long and can be held easily in the palm of the hand. Her head is the size of a tennis ball.

THE BABY, actively waving her arms and legs about, was being cared for in an incubator in Swedish Covenant Hospital, where she was born 3 1/2 months prematurely.

Dr. Nils Tunestam, the family physician, said the infant "has a chance to survive, although it is a slim chance." However, he said if Gloria lives, the odds were better than 50-50 that she would grow up to be a normal child.

A hospital spokesman said the big problem now is when and how to feed the girl. She has not eaten since her birth Sunday afternoon.

"THE DECISION to feed her is a big one because the way she takes food is very important to whether she will survive," he said.

The infant probably will not be fed until Wednesday or Thursday, unless she shows signs of drying out. Mucus in her tiny throat might prevent oral feeding with an eye dropper, in which case physicians said they would try to give subcutaneous injections of water and sugar.

IN TREATING Gloria, doctors went back to the records of Jacqueline Benson, also of Chicago, who holds the all-time record for light-weight babies who survived. Miss Benson, now a 22-year-old kindergarten teacher in suburban Palatine, also weighed only 12 ounces when she was born at St. Anne's Hospital on Jan. 14, 1936.

Miss Benson was kept in an incubator for 4 1/2 months before she was sent home weighing 7 1/2 pounds.

When told of Gloria's birth, Miss Benson said "Wonderful! If she has the kind of care I had," she'll make it.

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Denver	30	19	
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El Paso	41	28	.14
Fort Worth	48	33	.43
Helena	28	24	
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Los Angeles	71	46	
Miami	72	56	
Minneapolis	28	3	
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New York	41	37	.57

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Pittsburgh	49	32
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Reno	46	21
Sacramento	54	37
Salt Lake City	35	17
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# U.S. Takes 2-1 Davis Cup Lead

BRISBANE, Australia (UPI)—Hamilton Richardson, a diabetic of questionable stamina, and Alex Olmedo won the longest challenge round doubles match in history today to give the United States Davis Cup team a 2-1 lead over Australia in the best-of-five series.

# 5 Major Holiday Basketball Titles Gone; 7 to Go

United Press International  
Extra special holiday celebrating was the order of the day today for St. John's, Texas A&M, Oklahoma City, Dartmouth, and Oregon State — five brand-new basketball tournament champions. Seven other major carnivals of the holiday season will reach a climax tonight and two others will go into the semi-final round, including the Dixie Classic at Raleigh, N. C., where a somewhat battered Oscar Robertson once again will be leading Cincinnati's top-ranked team.

Here's how the games went in the big tournaments that ended Monday night:

**HOLIDAY FESTIVAL**  
Final  
St. John's 90, St. Joseph's 79.  
Consolation  
Arkansas 52, Holy Cross 52.  
Utah 79, Dayton 70.  
**QUEEN CITY INVITATIONAL**  
Final  
Dartmouth 72, Canisius 69.  
**SOUTHWEST CONF. TOURNAMENT**  
Final  
Texas A&M 61, Texas Christian 45.  
Consolation  
Rice 81, Southern Methodist 79.  
Baylor 78, Texas 54.  
**TEXAS TECH 72, ARKANSAS 62**  
Final  
**ALL-COLLEGE TOURNAMENT**  
Final  
Oklahoma City 73, Duquesne 59.  
Consolation  
Oregon 67, Tulsa 65.  
Wisconsin 86, San Francisco 84.  
Bowling Green 52, Xavier Ohio 71.  
**FAR WEST CLASSIC**  
Final  
Oregon State 72, Iowa 71.  
Consolation  
Wyoming 55, Air Force Academy 50.

# Round Table Gets 132 for Saturday

ARCADIA — (UPI) — Trainer Bill Moller said today that Round Table, the 1955 "Horse of the Year," would accept a 132-pound impost for next Saturday's \$50,000 San Carlos Handicap because he had to get started on his 1959 schedule regardless of the impost.

# City Cage Team Plays Riverside

A strong Riverside All-Stars basketball team will collide twice with the Laurie's Steak Ranch squad of the City Recreation League in Palm Springs High School Gym tonight.  
First of the two game sets will be played at 7:30 p.m.; City Recreation Director Howard Haddock said, with a second game to follow at 8:30 p.m.  
The game is the only action for the recreation league this week. Regular play will resume Jan. 6, Haddock said.



NEW MEMBER AT Bermuda Dunes Country Club is actor Bill Holden, shown above receiving his card from the spacious club's co-developers, Ray Ryan and Ernie Dunlevie. Skip Lawson, who is the latest addition to the development's sales force, ogles the new member who will have him-

self some familiar links-mates in Clark Gable, Cary Grant and other film and stage stars. The opening of the beautiful, 18-hole championship course will be announced soon, Ryan and Dunlevie said. (Gayle Studio Photo)

# D.A. Refuses Narcotic Rap For Jordan

Welterweight Champ 'Knew Nothing' of Marijuana in Car

VERNON, Calif. — (UPI) — World welterweight champion Don Jordan won his latest bout with the law Monday when the district attorney's office refused to file a narcotics charge against him.  
Jordan, who has held his boxing crown less than one month, was arrested along with three other men in a car Saturday when police said a marijuana cigarette was found in the auto.

"I'M NO ANGEL, but I don't associate with narcotics users," the 24-year-old boxer said.  
Arresting officers reported there was no evidence Jordan actually had been using the marijuana or knew anything about it. The fighter said he and a friend had accepted a ride in the auto but would have refused had they known marijuana was being used.  
Police said Richard A. Holquin, 18, Los Angeles, one of the men in the car, admitted smoking the narcotic.

IT WAS THE SECOND time in two months Jordan had a brush with the law—and emerged unscathed.

In November he was jailed for allegedly shooting arrows at a car in which two women were riding. Jordan labeled the incident a prank and police brought no charges.

# Lane, Ortiz Clash

NEW YORK — (UPI) — Lightweight contenders Kenny Lane and Carlos Ortiz clash in a 10-rounder at the Miami Beach Auditorium Wednesday night for a probable shot at the title.

# Indians Out 47-41 In 'Heartbreaker'

San Dieguito's "Mutt and Jeff" combination scored 13 points apiece and held Palm Springs High School star Stan Cirata to a scant six points in winning their Banning Block B Tournament semi-final match from the Indians, 47-41, last night.

It was a heart-breaker for Jim Workman's giddy cagers, who hadn't been figured to last past the first round in the classy competition garnered for this year's Banning meet.

BUT PALM SPRINGS was well on its way to upsetting all the dopesters and carried a 37-34 lead last night with only six minutes left to play. As it turned out, that's all Jimmy Mitchell, 5-6 forward and field general of the Mustangs, and his 6-3 partner, center Mike Shores, needed to change the picture.

John Ivey of the Braves had 10 points and Joe Lewis sank nine points, but it wasn't enough.

AT 4:30 P.M., today, Palm Springs meets Tustin to decide third place. Twenty-nine Palms, eliminated earlier, meets Pomona Catholic in consolation round at 6:30 p. m.

Banning won its eleventh game, 48-27, from Tustin to move into the championship round. The Broncos meet San Dieguito at 8:30 p.m.

Box and line score:  
(41) San Dieguito, Palm Springs (41)  
(12) Mitchell ..... Ivey (10)  
(6) Jansel ..... Tiller (6)  
(13) Shores ..... Shores (4)  
(9) Rutherford ..... Cirata (6)  
(12) Jolley ..... Lewis (9)

Scoring Subs: San Dieguito — None.  
Palm Springs—McFarland (6).  
Score by quarters:  
SAN DIEGUITO ..... 14 9 9 15-47  
PALM SPRINGS ..... 8 13 9 11-41

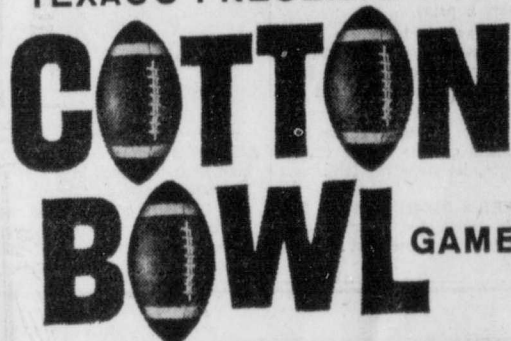
# S.F. Grand Jury Criticizes Giants For Park Deal

SAN FRANCISCO — (UPI) — The Grand Jury has issued two reports criticizing and defending the San Francisco Giant baseball deal.  
The majority report, issued by Foreman Henry North and approved by 16 of the 19 jurors, said the city "made a bad deal" on its 15-million-dollar stadium project at Candlestick Point.  
The 22-page report claimed that the city paid from \$650,000 to one million dollars too much in giving contractor Charles L. Harney \$2,700,000 for the land.

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# Iowa, LSU and Air Force 'Best Bet, in Bowl Tilts

By OSCAR FRALEY  
NEW YORK (UPI) — Just in case you have any loose money left over from Christmas, Fraley's follies and the bowl games "winners"—two costly events which fortunately only come once a year.  
Rose Bowl—Iowa over California.

Sugar Bowl—LSU over Clemson.  
Cotton Bowl—Air Force over TCU.

Orange Bowl — Syracuse over Oklahoma.

The Rose Bowl looks like a free-scoring game and I'd be a bit cautious about giving away 17 points. The game matches two of the nation's top quarterbacks in Iowa's Randy Duncan and Cal's Joe Kapp.

Iowa has two big, fast lines and a fleet all-around attack which puts the accent on offense. California isn't too deep and, while Iowa's pass defense isn't the greatest, neither are Cal's receivers. Iowa figures to grind 'em down but the hospitality kills the visitors and it could be close.

In the Sugar Bowl, LSU is a 14-point favorite despite the fact that it is giving away a lot of beef in the line. Sparked by Billy Cannon, it has breath-taking speed and can score from any place on the field.

Clemson was a weight advantage. However, this is a slow team with a mediocre attack. It can hammer out touchdowns but doesn't figure to match LSU's gifted production.

At the Cotton Bowl, TCU is an eight-point favorite but from here this is the blue-plate special.

It may be sending a bunch of boys on a man's errand yet this team d-i-d tie mighty Iowa, 13-13, early in the year. The way it looks from here, the small-jet-powered Falcons simply ran out of gas along the way through an unbeaten schedule and just made it. But they have had time to rest for this one.

TCU has a big bulge in size but lost to Iowa, 17-0. As a word of caution, they played a more rugged schedule than the Academy.

The Orange Bowl game, with Oklahoma a 14½ point favorite, will be a grind-it-out affair of little deception. The Orange is

big, rugged and, despite Oklahoma's reputation, if Chuck Zimmerman can hit with an occasional pass at the right moment, Syracuse could win a close one. Oklahoma has a good defense and one of those old machine-like attacks. Yet, Syracuse has the heft to halt 'em.

# HERE'S LINEUP OF BOWL GAMES OVER HOLIDAYS

DEC. 31  
SUN BOWL AT EL PASO, Tex. Wyoming (7-3) vs. Hardin-Simmons (6-4).

JAN. 1  
ROSE BOWL AT PASADENA, California-Iowa (7-1-1) vs. California (7-3). NBC-TV and radio, air time 1:45 a. m., p.s.t.

SUGAR BOWL AT NEW ORLEANS—Louisiana State (10-0) vs. Clemson (8-2) NBC-TV and radio, air time 10:45 p.m. p.s.t.

COTTON BOWL AT DALLAS—Texas Christian (8-2) vs. Air Force Academy (9-0-1) CBS-TV and radio, air time approximately 12:30 p.m. p.s.t.

ORANGE BOWL AT MIAMI, Fla.—Oklahoma (9-1) vs. Syracuse (8-1) CBS-TV and radio, air time 9:45 a. m., e.s.t.

PRAIRIE VIEW BOWL AT HOUSTON, Tex. —Prairie View A&M (7-2) vs. Langston, Okla. (4-3). No TV or radio.

JAN. 3  
SENIOR BOWL GAME AT MOBILE, Ala.—NBC TV air time, 12 noon, p.s.t.



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# Tourney Moves To Next Round At Tennis Club

Second round and semi-final matches in the First Annual Junior Tennis Tournament were scheduled for this morning after yesterday's opening-day action at the Tennis Club here.

Most spirited action in yesterday's fray featured the battle between Richard Reakes and John Clancy with Reakes staging a strong comeback after losing the first set to win, 2-6, 7-5, 6-2.

Bill Talbot defeated Joe Clancy, 13-11, 7-5, in the other 18-years-and-under match.

In girls, 15 and under, pairings, Chris Tallman, and Janet Primm both won by default over Jill Gerhart and Robyn Fretz, respectively. Miss Tallman lost in successive sets to Judy Primm, 6-0, 6-0, and Judy's sister, Janet, defeated Kathy Clancy, also in straight sets, 6-0, 6-0.

In boys, 15 and under, competition, Garry Grossman defeated Joe Banowitz, 6-1, 6-0; David Tietelbaum defeated Lloyd Chaisson, 6-0, 6-1; Joe Clancy defeated Ron Ballinger, 6-2, 6-2; Steve Rosen defeated Mike Douglas, 6-0, 6-1; Brent Hough defeated Jim Hopp, 6-1, 6-1; Joe Ballinger defeated Eugene Meishuler, 6-4, 8-6; Eddie Phillips defeated Eric Tietelbaum 2-6, 6-1, 6-4, and John Clancy defeated Peter Tomack, 6-0, 6-1.



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KEN JOHNSON, manager of the Smoke Tree Stables, and Wayne Cline, a professional rodeo rider, will have charge of all of the details and entrants who have any knack for horseborne gymnastics should contact one or the other before Saturday.

Included in the program are calf roping, team roping, ribbon roping, steer riding, bronc riding, and other events.

Prizes will be U. S. Savings Bonds totalling hundreds of dollars, Johnson said.

ENTRANTS WILL participate in two age brackets. One will be for youngsters 8 to 13 years, the other for teenagers from 13 to 18 years.

The two-day event will be staged at Smoke Tree Ranch on Saturday and will be open to the public. If successful, Johnson said, an attempt will be made to have the event turned into a State Championship Rodeo.

## Adman Buys 'Trailer Life' From Association

Arthur J. Rouse, Los Angeles advertising executive, has purchased the magazine Trailer Life and will become its new publisher, it was announced yesterday.

The magazine will still be called Trailer Life and will be published effective with the February, 1959, edition, by Trailer Life Publishing Co.

The February issue will also indicate a "revitalization" of the magazine, Rouse said. He said that a doubling of present circulation will be an initial aim of the magazine.

The magazine was formerly published by the Trailer Coach Assn. Mr. and Mrs. Del Germain (Germain's Liquors and Delicatessen) and children, Diana, Renee, Bond and Melody, spent Christmas Eve at the home of his mother, Mrs. Rose Germain, and Christmas Day with Mrs. Germain's family in Banning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Baker, owners of Palo Verde Apartments, drove to Canoga Park to spend Christmas Eve at the home of their daughter, Jerry and Sally Rosevear and young son, Timmy, and then went to Manhattan Beach to be with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Quayle and children, Rick, Cris, Tracy, Greg and Kathleen for Christmas.

Among the guests at Palo Verde Apartments for the holiday vacation are Mr. and Mrs. Vic Mahan and their son, Brent, of Seward, Alaska, and her daughters, Laura and Sara Pack. Laura is attending the University of Washington at Seattle and Sara is attending College of Puget Sound in Tacoma. Also Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Doerr and son from Stockton, and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson and daughters, Janet and Margaret, of El Segundo.

Mrs. Leota Daniel and her grandson, David Emert, arrived from Texline, Texas, Christmas Day at the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Woody. Here for the weekend were Mrs. Woody's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Blackman and children, Chis, Chuck and Connie, from San Diego. Young Keith Woody returned to San Diego with the Blackmans to spend this week and David Emert left for Texas but Mrs. Daniel will spend the winter in California.

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## Still Tension

# Soviet Citizens Better Off in '59

By HENRY SHAPIRO

MOSCOW (UPI)—If Russia's new seven-year plan to be launched next year succeeds, the Soviet citizen will be somewhat better off in 1959 than he was in 1958.

He will have more food and clothing, shorter work hours and more elbow room. His children will have only eight instead of ten years of compulsory schooling so they can start to work at the age of 15 with the opportunity to continue their education in night schools.

AT THE RECENT meeting of the Communist Party's Central Committee, ordinary citizens were promised an upsurge of agricultural and other consumer goods, better housing and higher real wages.

But the political developments of 1958 in the USSR do not give

hope of lessening tensions in 1959, with the constantly shifting focus of crisis—the Far East, the Middle East and now Berlin.

Any agreement on disarmament, which doesn't seem to be in the cards now, would materially aid Soviet economic progress.

THEREFORE, DURING 1959, the Kremlin will continue to plug disarmament and a summit conference as the solution to Berlin, and mid-Eastern and Far Eastern problems, though there is little prospect of success.

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Celebrating Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Zappe were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Zappe, his aunt, Ruth Meier, and his sister and family.

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